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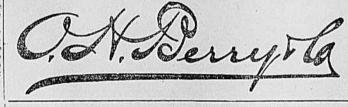
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main dining room. In the centre was seated President Taft. To his right in the following order were Governor Mann. John P. Branch. Lieutenant. Governor J. Taylor Ellyson, Major J. C. Hemphill. Colonel Archer Anderson and Henry W. Wood. To the President's left were: Ex-Governor Andrew Jackson Montague, Judge J. C. Britchard, Secretary Norton, Mayor D. C. Richardson, Colonel W. Gordon McLebe, William H. White and Rev. F. T. McFaden, D. D. The invocation was by Dr. McFaden, pastr of the William H. White and Rev. F. T. McFaden, D. D. The invocation was by Dr. McFaden, pastr of the Milliam H. White and Rev. F. T. McFaden, D. D. The invocation was by Dr. McFaden, pastr of the Milliam H. White and Rev. F. T. McFaden and attractive, most of the dishes being Virginia specialties, such as the Lynnhaven oysers, roasted Smithfield ham and Virginia maliard duck.

Ex-Governor Montague who acted as toastmaster, presented the President. Ex-Governor Montague who acted as toastmaster, presented the President, Saylng:

"We have met to welcome and honor the President. The people of Richmond and of Virginia are very glad to have amongst them a citizen so pure-minded, a man zo broad and humane, and a gentleman so unostenatious and refined as our august guest, "We honor and respect his great of his exalted and manifold trust. As an official he has the entermance of his exalted and manifold trust. As an official he has the confidence and as a man the reference of the people of this Commonwealth. He comes to us fresh Commonwealth, He comes to us fresh Com

"three R's." rather than a general smattering, was warmly applauded.

Determined to Go Forward.

The invocation was delivered by Bishop Gibson, of the Episcopal Dicese of Virginia. Chairman R. C. Stearnes, of the Educational Conference, presented Governor Mann, who briefly presented Governor Mann, who briefly presented the President. Governor Mann asserted that, not satisfied with past attainments, Virginia was determined to carry the deeds of the old Commonwealth further than ever before and to keep step in progress with the most strenuous States of the American Union.

President Taft said:

The President's Address.

"My Fellow Ultizens:

"I am very glad, in passing through Richmond on my way from Panama to Washington, of having the opportunity of meeting this distinguished company, I am always glad to stop in Richmond. It is a city that reflects in every way the wonderful material growth of the South and at the same tline awakens in the mind of the visitor at every street corner and in every public square an intense interest by its historical associations. At every turn there comes the local association with Washington, Jefferson, Patrick Henry, Marshall and Madison and other great participants in the natal struggle of the republic, as well as of Jefferson Davis, Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson and the other great leaders of the Southern Confederacy. (Prolonged applause)

"Closely following this thought comes the feeling of gratitude to God that we are now a united nation, with the bitter prejudices of the past dispelled—and able, all of us, to accord the proper meed of praise to the American heroes of the past, whether their deeds were performed and their services rendered in those early days when all Americans were foling in a single cause, or whether they loomed large as leaders on either side in those sad four years when brothers were engaged against brothers in an internecine strife.

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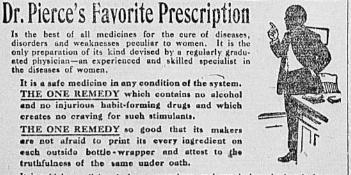
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